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MONTANA SENATE 65th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND CLAIMS

Call to Order: Chair Llew Jones, on February 6, 2017 at 2:35 P.M., in Room 303 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Llew Jones, Chair (R)

Sen. Frederick (Eric) Moore, Vice Chair (R)

Sen. Duane Ankney (R)

Sen. Mary Caferro (D)

Sen. Terry Gauthier (R)

Sen. David Howard (R)

Sen. Douglas (Doug) Kary (R)

Sen. Bob Keenan (R)

Sen. Mike Lang (R)

Sen. Mary McNally (D)

Sen. Albert Olszewski (R)

Sen. Ryan Osmundson (R)

Sen. Mike Phillips (D)

Sen. Jon C. Sesso (D)

Sen. Jeffrey W. Welborn (R)

Sen. Lea Whitford (D)

Sen. Cynthia Wolken (D)

Members Excused:

Sen. Cary Smith (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Prudence Gildroy, Committee Secretary

Julie Johnson, Legislative Branch Kris Wilkinson, Legislative Branch

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Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: SB 64, 2/2/2017

Executive Action: SB 64 Do Pass; SB 60 Do Pass

HEARING ON SB 64

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

Sen. Cynthia Wolken (D), SD 48, opened the hearing on SB 64, Generally revise 00:00:20

laws related to the board of pardons and parole.

Proponents' Testimony:

00:01:42 Adrianne Slaughter, Department of Corrections

00:02:14 Sen. Sesso joined the meeting.

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:02:30 Sen. Phillips 00:02:42 Sen. Wolken

Closing by Sponsor:

Sen. Wolken 00:02:56

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 64

00:03:35 Motion/Vote: Sen. Moore moved that SB 64 DO PASS. Motion carried 17-0 by

voice vote. Sen. C. Smith voted by proxy. Sen. Welborn was excused.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 60

00:04:32 Motion: Sen. Moore moved that SB 60 DO PASS.

00:04:44 Sen. Welborn joined the meeting

00:04:49 Vote: Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Sen. C. Smith voted by proxy.

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ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 2:41 PM	
	Prudence Gildroy, Secretary
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